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OUTLINES.

At New Orleans yesterday 21 new cases of yellow fever were reported, making the total 227 cases; there were 3 deaths, making the total deaths 47; thirty-five localities are now infected, several cases having been reported in country parishes; people are making resperate efforts to flee from the plague, but shot gun quarantine prevails and there is no hope to escape the detention camps.——In the cotton leak investigation at Washington, F. A. Peckham new York cotton broker, former partner of Edwin S. Holmes, and Moses Haas, go-between for Holmes in giving advance information to cotton brokers, refused to testify on the ground that they might incriminate themselves; the grand jury has presented them to the District Supreme Court for contempt——Preparations were completed for the hanging of Johann Hock at Chicago yesterday, but at the last moment the Governor granted "Blue Beard" a reprieve till August 25th——At Valdosta, Ga., yesterday in the trial of J. G. Rawlings for instigating the murder of the Carter children, a strong case was made out by witnesses who heard him threaten to kill the whole Carter family from the babies up ——Dr. Geo. T. Moore, scientist, connected with the Department of Agriculture and under charges of being improperly connected with a company manufacturing soil culture, has resigned his position with the Department——At St. Louis the Delmar Jockey Club has suspended races pending decision in a suit brought by Gov. Folk to confiscate the club's valuable property for violating its franchise granted by the State ——Bradstreet's reports the prospects for fall trade as bright, with special activity in cotton goods at advanced prices——New York markets: Money on call easy, 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton quiet 11.05; flour dull and unchanged; wheat easy, No. 2 red 93 3-4 F. O. B. afloat; corn easy, No. 2, 61 elevator; oats easy, mixed 34 to 34 1-2; turpentine dull 59 1-2 to 60; rosin quiet, strained common to good, 3.60.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,

Wilmington, N. C., July 28, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; 8 P. M., 78 degrees; Maximum, 86 degrees; Minimum, 68 degrees; Mean, 77 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 6.49.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M., yesterday (Thursday) 7.7 feet.

PORT ALMANAC—July 29.

Sun Rises .....5:04 P. M.
Sun Sets .....7:07 P. M.
Day's Length ..... 14 hrs. 12 min.
High Water at Southport..5:54 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington.8:24 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

North Carolina—Showers and thunderstorms Saturday, and on the coast Sunday fresh south winds.

Associate Statistician Holmes has brought great reproach on figures, which have heretofore had considerable reputation for not going back on veracity.

The Philadelphia Press says Equitable Society "Hyde is about to take up his residence in France." We are prepared to believe it, for he is good at taking up things.

The fact that a New Orleans Italian has turned up at Tampa, Fla., with a case of yellow fever, shows that it is well enough for health authorities to keep their eyes skinned.

Many a young man has had a mighty sweet friend in a girl till he spoiled the whole thing by getting earnest enough to compel her to tell him she never had any idea of marrying him.

The Jacksonville Times-Union: "In Ohio harvest hands are getting $2 a day and board." Never touched us. We see that insurance company presidents are getting $80,000 a year.

An exchange asks: "Are poets ever justified in stealing ideas." After reading some stuff that is palmed off for poetry we should say that some poets would be justified if they were to commit grand larceny.

An exchange says: "We do not believe mosquitoes are responsible for yellow fever." Sh! Let the whole thing be saddled on the mosquitoes, for it is one more justifiable cause for us to assault every one of them with intent to kill.

Says the Baltimore Sun: "Mikail Stepanoff, of Russia, who has just died, left 365 sets of false teeth." The cause of the Russian's death is not stated but we've got money to bet he had to give in and go dead trying to chew the rag with a Russian woman who knows the language.

Gay Lumina.
The people's pleasure palace.
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LOCAL DOTS.

—Dr. Winters and party who have enjoyed a week's fine sport fishing at the "Rocks," came up yesterday afternoon on the steamer Wilmington.

—By deed filed for record yesterday John F. Freeman and wife transferred to Eliza Reed, for $300, property on Ninth, between Gwynn and Anderson streets.

—The Machinists excursion to Carolina Beach yesterday carried about 200 visitors to that delightful resort. The last boat reached the city at 12 o'clock last night.

—The Girls Improvement Club, of the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, came up yesterday afternoon from Carolina Beach where they have been spending a delightful outing of a week at the Kure House.

—Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., who has been attending the sessions of the Wilmington Union at Bethlehem church, pender county, will return today and occupy his pulpit at the usual hours to-morrow.

—A small blaze in the basement of the Carolina Copper Works, on South Front street, called out the department in response to an alarm from box 43 at 7 o'clock last night. The damage was about $10; cause unknown.

—Jim Richardson, the negro charged with the highway robbery of Chas Leslie, at Sixth and Dawson streets, on the night of July 3rd, was given preliminary trial before Justice Furlong yesterday afternoon. He established an alibi and was discharged from custody.

—W. E. Parnell, the young white man charged with embezzlement of funds from Parker & Sneed by whom he was formerly employed as collector, was arraigned in Justice Furlong's court yesterday. He waived examination and was recommitted to jail for the September term of court in default of $200 bond.

—The city authorities are out after delinquent license tax payers. Six delinquents were arraigned in the police court yesterday and taxed with the costs in addition to being required to pay all arrearages. The only other defendant before the Mayor yesterday was "Hoss Face" Fanny Williams, a notorious colored woman, charged with vagrancy. She was sent to the workhouse for 30 days.

—Lumberton Robesonian: "We understand that some changes are being made by the Seaboard in regard to the local frieghts running between Wilmington and Hamlet. Instead of two local freights as now, it is thought there will be four: two between Wilmington and Lumberton and two between Lumberton and Hamlet. Of course the increase in business is the cause of the additional train service."

—Wilmington continues to hold its place on the weather map as the coolest point in the district. For the 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the maximum temperature here was 83, while other points were recorded as follows: Charlotte, 88; Cheraw, S. C., 88; Florence, 91; Goldsboro, 85; Greensboro, 86; Lumberton, 92; Newbern, 88; Raleigh, 84; Weldon, 88. The average for the district was 87.3.

WILMINGTON VS. CASWELL.

Fine Game Scheduled For This Afternoon at Hilton.

A strong team from Wilmington will engage the Fort Caswell baseball team here this afternoon, and a fine game is confidently expected. Grimes, an ex-St Louis big-league pitcher will be in the rifle pit for the visitors and "Red" Wilson, who has not a superior in amateur or professional ball in the South, will pitch for the locals. A wagonette will meet the cars and transfer patrons to the park.

The Wilmington team will line up as follows: Moore, catcher; Wilson, pitch; McIntyre or Gwaltney, first-base; Fritz Zellers, second-base; Calder, third-base; Green, short-stop; Wescott, centre-fielder; Heide, left-field, and Mills, right-field. Smith and Morse will be substitues. The Wilmington aggregation is decidely the strongest team put on the field this season, the line-up including a number of college players of note, and a fast, snappy game may be expected. The Fort Caswell team is composed of clever well behaved gentlemen as their conduct on the field last Saturday demonstrated to all and it is hoped a large crowd will be out to see the game.

There is a conflicting arrangement as to the use of the Hilton diamond to-day, but it is hoped the Junior teams will give away to the visiting team and play their games elsewhere.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

Yellow Fever Situation Discussed at Meeting Held Yesterday.

Mayor Waddell yesterday at noon convened a special meeting of the Board of Health to discuss with members of that body the yellow fever situation in the further South. There were present the Mayor, Dr. A. H. Harris, Dr. C. T. Harper, and City Engineer P. Matthew. The Board took occasion to commend the Mayor's summary action in improving the sanitary condition of the city as a precautionary measure and for the general health of the community. It was the concensus of opinion that no more than vigilance is required to prevent a possible outbreak of fever here unless it manifests itself more generally in the Southern country.

The meeting shows, however, that the Board of Health is watchful of the situation and that the people of the city will be fully protected in case of an emergency.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Business Locals.

Dixie Cafe—Ice Cold Watermelons.
Jerry Hand—Berkshire Boar Lost.
Orrell & Alexander—Pair Goats for Sale.

Lumina.

Bright and Gay.
Light as Day.
Come and Stay.

NEARING TERM'S END

Superior Court Will Complete Its Sessions With Odds and Ends To-day

BURGLAR JONES CONFESSES

Negro Charged With Entering Mrs. Shepard's Residence Made Clean Breast of Affair and Implicated Another.

The present term of the Superior Court will be completed to-day. With the exception of a few continuances, all cases on the docket were disposed of yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock when court took a recess until 9 o'clock this morning. There are a few sentences to be passed and a few odds and ends to be disposed of today but there will be no jury trials and no talesmen have been summoned for the day. The term is for two weeks but as Judge Councill has been assigned to hold a special term of Granville court at Oxford during the coming week, there will be no court here. It is expected that an adjournment for the term will be reached by noon to-day. Jurors summoned for today and those for next week will not be required to attend.

Yesterday's proceedings were rather of more interest than usual. Clarence H. Thompson, the young white man charged with vagrancy, was found not guilty after a vigorous defence by his counsel, George L. Peschau and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs.; the negro charged with entering the residence of Mrs. Henrietta Shepard "squealed" on his accomplice in the burglary and implicated half a dozen others in receiving the goods, and during the afternoon the grand jury came in, made report and was discharged with the thanks of the judge.

Court met at 9 A. M. as usual yesterday and of the 24 talesmen drawn for the day, the sheriff returned 20 as summoned as follows: J. W. Smith, Simon Solomon, Welcome E. Adams, W. H. C. Hodges, S. W. Ketchum, Englehard Schulken, A. Steljes, E. D. Sloan, J. C. Davis, James Kyle, S. P. McNair, B. S. Franks, Richard Bradley, Robert F. Colwell, Newton E. Gillican, F. H. Fechtig, James D. Kelly, B. A. Merritt, W. P. Burns, Rossen Y. Lennon. The court excused S. Solomon on account of sickness in his family; also, J. W. Smith, James Kyle, Richard Bradley, F. H. Fechtig and B. A. Merritt for other good and sufficient reasons.

The case of State vs. Clarence Thompson, charged with vagrancy was resumed first thing in the morning and a jury was empanelled as follows: J. G. L. Gieschen, Tom Moore, Thos. J. Gore, T. E. Davis, Wm. Simpson, Melvin Horne, C. C. Bordeaux, J. M. Wiggins, E. Schulken, E. D. Sloan, S. P. McNair and B. S. Franks. The selection of the jury was completed within a few minutes after court assembled and the hearing of testimony was begun. Among the witnesses examined for the State were Policeman Leon George and other residents in the northern section of the city whence the complaint came. A verdict of not guilty was returned after the jury had been out only a few minutes at 10:30 o'clock. The defendant after being admonished by the court to beware of his conduct in the future, was discharged.

Sarah Casey and Everett Moseley, charged with disorderly conduct and assault and battery, were found not guilty

The case of Willie Jones, charged with housebreaking and larceny in entering the residence of Mrs. Henrietta Shepard last Saturday afternoon, was heard during the afternoon, the defendant having been found guilty. Judgment was left open.

Oliver Wade, the negro charged with the larceny of a horse and buggy from Messrs. Orrell & Alexander, liverymen, and converting the same to his temporary use, was found guilty and sentenced to two years on the roads.

George Roderick, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon upon "Country" John Williams, pleaded guilty and the evidence in the case will be heard for final disposition today.

The cases of the Brown brothers and J. E. Lewis in which a mistrial resulted earlier in the week were continued until the September term. The case of C. T. Croom, charged with embezzlement, was also continued until the September term.

Confessions of a Burglar.

Upon the conviction of Willie Jones, upon the charge of breaking into Mrs. Shepard's residence and before sentence was passed upon him, he was advised by his counsel, Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., to make a clean breast of the whole affair. He said that he would do so; that Wash McNeill, a negro who had been driving the Orton bus was with him when they entered the house and that he went up on the second floor while he (Jones) was unable to get in downstairs until McNeill broke in, came down the stairs on the inside and let him in. He said that he had sold a part of the silverware to Mrs. Mary Williamson, who keeps a store at foot of Grace street; the pistol, to Josh Simon, a Syrian merchant on Front, between Market and Dock streets; the articles of wearing apparel to Maggie Gideon, a Syrian woman across the street from Simon's store; another piece of the silverware he had left at the house of a woman on Campbell, between Eighth and Ninth streets, and that another piece of the silverware he had sent to his "girl," Willie Stokes, at No. 217 Queen street, Norfolk, Va.

Upon the frank confession, Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox, accompanied by Mr. B. O. Stone, who lost the property, went out at once and arrested Wash McNeill. They also visited Mrs. Williamson's place and recovered a set of silver forks valued at $15 which Mrs. Williamson said she had bought for 50 cents, thinking they were tin. The articles were in a trunk in Mrs. Williamson's living apartments over the store. Deputy Cox and Mr. Stone then went to the place of Maggie Gideon, wife of a Syrian merchant, and found, upstairs in a trunk in the family's dwelling rooms, a China silk dressing sack, a taffeta silk waist, a Mohair skirt, a lawn waist, embroidered front, and other articles of ladies' wearing apparel stolen from the residence. Then proceeding across the street at Josh Simon's store they were told no pistol had been sold there. The officer sent for Jones at the jail and when he came down, he went straight to the show case and pulled the revolver out after which Simon said the negro had sold it to him Saturday night.

Last night Deputy Cox and Justice Bornemann before whom the warrants are made returnable, went on their rounds and recovered at a house another piece of the silverware which Jones had merely left there. Warrants were made out against Mrs. Williamson, Maggie Gideon and Josh Simon, charging them with receiving stolen goods, knowing them to have been stolen. Mrs. Williamson has employed Herbert McClammy, Esq., to defend her and has given bond with the others to appear in Justice Bornemann's court Monday at 11 o'clock and answer the charge. The Syrians deposited cash bond of $50 each for their appearance. The negro Jones has written his "girl" at Norfolk requesting the return of the silver spoon bestowed upon her as a gift, enclosing stamps for the return of the article.

The negro Wash McNeill, who lives on Walnut, between Second and Third streets, and is believed to be responsible for other burglaries which have occurred lately in the section in which he lives, will be given preliminary trial later. He is a boy of about 20 years of age, and of respectable parentage.

During the trial of Jones, two witnesses, Ella Pugh and Tom Pugh, went on the stand and established an alibi for the prisoner, saying that he was at their house at the time of the robbery of Mrs. Shepard's residence. Upon the confession of Jones, Pugh and his wife were ordered arrested and held for perjury. Justice Bornemann and Deputy Sheriff Cox went out last night and landed the pair in jail.

THE HARNETT CELEBRATION.

Distinguished Array of Speakers for Semi-Centennial at Lillington.

Hon. H. L. Godwin, chairman of the committee on invitation of speakers for the great semi-centennial celebration of the founding of Harnett county at Lillington, August 3rd, has the following to say of the outlook:

All the talk among our people now is about the celebration. It looks like there will be at least ten thousand people present to enjoy and witness this great event. All the committees are hard at work to make this occasion a day of pleasure and one to be long remembered by all who attend.

The committee appointed to invite the speakers has completed its work. With but one exception, every distinguished speaker invited to be present and deliver an address has accepted the invitation of the committee and will be on hand prepared to deliver a great speech.

Gov. R. B. Glenn says that he will certainly be in Lillington to attend the celebration, and will esteem it a pleasure to address our people on that day.

The other distinguished speakers are as follows:

Hon. John D. Bellamy, Hon. H. L. Cook, Hon. E. F. McCulloch, Dr. J. Allison Hodges, Hon. D. H. McLean, Mr. W. E. Murchison, W. J. Peele, and Capt. S. A. Ashe.

The programme has not yet been arranged by the committee. Possibly Prof. J. B. Carlyle and Lieut.-Gov. Winston will be added, as well as an original poem on Harnett county will be rendered by the "Bard of Harnett," Hon. T. W. Harrington.

Cheap railroad rates will be extended from all points.

MUST HAVE THE PUMPS.

City Should Provide Watering Places for Thirsty Population.

The suggestion in the Star of yesterday that more artesian wells be sunk in different parts of the city for the use of the public met the enthusiastic approval of at least one public-spirited Wilmingtonian. Mr. J. H. W. Bonitz, the genial proprietor of the hotel bearing his name, said to a representative of the paper that he would give $25 cash toward the boring of a well at the intersection of Market and Second streets.

Again the Star wants the public to insist that the city take hold of this deep-well proposition. The pump at the City Hall is a bonanza for residents in all that section, and the water is used with beneficial effect by families for blocks around. Certainly the down town sections of the city where hundreds of strangers congregate daily and where passenger traffic of the Consolidated Company is so heavy, should be provided with public pumps, either by the Consolidated Company or by the city. Is it too much to expect that at the next meeting of the Board some Alderman anxious to do a lasting public service will start a movement for more of these wells?

MANAGER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Mr. Simmons Had Arm Caught in Ice Factory Machinery.

Mr. L. H. Simmons, general manager of the Independent Ice factory, narrowly escaped late Thursday afternoon having his right arm torn from his shoulder. A belt on a pulley working one of the deep water pumps at the factory was slipping and Mr. Simmons was applying some dressing to the leather with the hope of making the belt hold. Mr. Morris came out of the engine room and spoke to Mr. Simmons. As he turned to reply to Mr. Morris, he forgot himself and the arm was drawn violently between the belt and the small pulley, which was making 1,200 revolutions a minute. Being a man of powerful physique, Mr. Simmons threw himself against a brace and jerked the arm out, but not before the muscles were badly torn in the forearm and he was otherwise injured. Dr. A. H. Harriss and Dr. T. S. Burbank were hurriedly summoned and dressed the wound. Mr. Simmons was able to be out yesterday but his arm will be in a sling from the injury for some time.

GRAND JURY REPORT

Completed Its Labors in Superior Court Yesterday and Discharged With Thanks

THE SCOPE IS VERY WIDE

Visit to Various County Institutions and Smallpox Pest House—Condition of Streets and Alleys—Police Should Be Vigilant.

Having completed its labors, the grand jury at the present term of New Hanover Superior, came in yesterday afternoon, made report to His Honor Judge Councill, presiding, and was discharged with thanks. The investigation of the jury, judged by the unusual scope of the report, must have been very wide as a number of subjects are treated from the condition of the various county institutions to the city water supply. None of the recommendations, however, is important.

The report in full is as follows:

To His Honor, W. B. Councill, Presiding, July Term, 1905.

Honored Sir—The grand jury having finished their work respectfully submit the following report: We have examined 18 bills and found all true bills and have made two presentments. We also wish to report on the following subjects:

Offices—A committee from this jury visited the offices of the Register of Deeds, Clerk of Court and Sheriff's. They found them in a very satisfactory condition, the records are kept in a neat and satisfactory manner and apparently are entire and sufficient.

Court House Building—Examination of the Court House building showed it to be well kept and in good condition with the following exceptions: Flooring of the main corridor is supported by temporary structure whereas we believe it should have a permanent and more substantial fixing. The court room and upper corridor we believe should be kept cleaner during the sessions of court. Water closet for colored people in yard needs improvement as we think it is unsanitary and we recommend prompt attention.

Jail—A committee examined the jail and found it well kept. We recommend that increased cell room be made in accordance with plans of County Commissioners. The grating and fencing need painting; the weeds in the yard need cutting. There are two small leaks and we recommend that the walls be whitewashed and patched. We endorse the Commissioners in their desire to have the wall running parallel with Third street dividing the Court House and jail yard changed to run from the southeast corner of the Court House to the southwest corner of the jail making the Court House park extend to the rear of jail.

Convict Camp at Castle Haynes—The jury visited this camp and found the conditions as follows: Two prisoners slightly sick—the others seem to be well kept and in good condition. The buildings are cleanly and with the following changes we believe would be satisfactory. The mattresses should be equipped with two slips made of stout material which should be slipped off and on and changed at regular intervals. The blankets should not be used in Summer but some lighter and more washable material used for covering.

Pest House—For obvious reasons we viewed the pest house at a distance. The buildings were in apparent good order and seemed to be sufficient for the requirements. We learned of one death from smallpox there during the past week.

County Home—Our inspection of the County Home showed this institution with a gratifyingly small number of inmates, there being only three whites and a very few negro patients. It seems to be well kept. The rooms and cells are all as clean as conditions permit. If all prisoners were put in stripes it would lessen their chance of escape from this home. It would be better if the demented ones now restrained there could be entered into some more suitable institution.

Convict Camp at Seven Mile Post, on Newbern Road—A committee visited this camp and found it in good order. The prisoners' cage was secured by one small padlock which could be easily broken and we would recommend that at least two locks be used.

City Streets—The conditoin of the streets has been brought strongly to our attention. Front street is badly in need of repair and should be fixed as early as possible. South Water street needs some sort of paving as in its present condition it is practically impassible in wet weather. The drainage of the new macadam cross streets seems to be insufficient as the washes after a heavy rain are very destructive. There are many places in the city where there are large holes and washouts. Market street from Ninth to Seventeenth should receive early attention. There is a large quantity of loose rock on this street which should be used or moved. Macomber's alley should be cleaned and kept clean as we consider it in its present condition unsanitary. It would be well if Burnt Mill Creek was penned of the growth of rushes and bushes which prevent the flow of water and causes overflow which increases the swamp area and doubtlessly makes unsanitary conditions.

Sanitation—We have had many complaints as to the service of trash and slop carts and heartily recommend an improvement here by putting on enough carts to have the trash and slops removed promptly. We would like to call attention to the fact that there has been no report of smallpox among the county prisoners which we believe to be due to prompt vaccination. It apepars that the quarantine of smallpox patients has not been early enough established in some instances or rigidly enough enforced, as it has been brought to our attention that developed smallpox was not quarantined promptly and quarantined patients allowed to leave the house.

Policing—We would suggest that Water street and North Fourth street be closely patrolled on Sunday and all possible efforts made to detect violators of the law and liquor selling. Will say in passing that much complaint of the muddy condition of the water supply is heard as well as for lack of pressure in the higher parts of the city. And now having finished our duties we respectfully ask to be discharged.

W. F. CORBETT, Foreman.
W. C. Crow, Secretary.

Lumina.

Forget the cares of the day by spending the evening at Lumina. jy26-6t**

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. R. D. Carr, of Magnolia, was here yesterday.

—Dr. I. N. Carr, of Durham, was a Star visitor yesterday.

—Misses Blanche and Sallie Smith, of Elkton, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Robert W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, was here yesterday on a professional trip.

—Miss Kate Strickland, of Warsaw, is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Jones, on North Firth street.

—Mr. Robert C. Hood and wife, of Southport, came up yesterday on the steamer Wilmington.

—Mr. J. A. Cavanaugh, of Wallace, was in the city yesterday and favored the Star with a visit.

—Capt. A. P. Adrian, of this city, will join the S. A. L. party on the trip to California next week.

—Mr. J. B. Liles, of Morven, N. C., was here yesterday returning from a sojourn of a few days at the beach.

—Miss Lila Bellamy, of El Paso, who has been visiting the family of Mr. John E. Platt, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Monroe L. Shrier, of New York city, are visiting at the Goodman cottage, on Wrightsville Beach.

—Misses Mattie and Emma Bronson, of Lisbon, N. C., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Josephine Bronson, on Grace street.

—Mrs. Dempsey and daughter, Martha, of Portsmouth, Va., are the guests of Mrs. R. H. Pickett, having arrived yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Donlan, of Rocky Mount, are at Wrightsville Beach the guests of Mr. Donlan's father, Mr. T. Donlan.

—Mrs. Eliza Potter Settle, who has been spending some time on Wrightsville Beach as the guests of Mrs. Herbert Smith, left yesterday for her home in Asheville.

—Miss Annie Laurie Thompson, one of Faison's charming young ladies, who has been spending several days in the city and at the beach, returned home last night.

—Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Mary Bridgers, of Wilmington, is stopping with Mrs. C. J. Ahearn on Cool Springs street as the guest of Mrs. D. S. MasRae."

—Mr. E. H. Dement leaves this morning for Currie. His family, who have been visiting friends in Pender, Duplin and Sampson, will return with him to-morrow night.

—Pender Chronicle: "Mrs. J. T. Bland left Tuesday for treatment at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at Wilmington. At the last account she was reported as better."

—Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Green, nurse and baby, Mrs. M. F. Pearce, of Fayetteville, and Mrs. F. H. Brown and son, of Winston-Salem, were guests at The Orton last night en route to the beach.

—Among last night's arrivals were: C. Ed. Taylor, Esq., Southport; R. D. W. Connor, Raleigh; H. C. Spicer, Rocky Mount; J. K. Morrisey, Clinton; J. B. and J. W. Burroughs, Conway, S. C.

Maxton Scotish Chief: "Miss Emma Atkinson, of Wilmington, visited her nephew, Mr. A. L. Jones, during the past week, and left Monday evening for Atlanta to visit relatives there, She was accompanied to Atlanta by Miss Mattie Belle Jones."

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Pemberton and children, of Wilmington, are spending the day with Mrs. Jane L. Pemberton on Bow street.——Miss Maude Murray, who has been visiting at Rocky Mount and Wrightsville Beach, has returned home.——Mr. J. W. Strickland, of the National Bank, returned yesterday from Wrightsville Beach, where he stopped at the Tarrymoore.——Miss Betty Brown, who is visiting Miss Mary Smith, returned this morning from Wrightsville Beach."

BASEBALL THIS AFTERNOON.

Championship Game Between Monarchs and Y. M. C. A. at Hilton.

The Monarchs, the leaders in the Junior Baseball League, and the Y. M. C. A. team, the next highest in the percentage column, will play two games at Hilton Park this afternoon to which the public is invited. The result of the games may possibly determine the championship of the Junior League and for that reason they will be hard fought. A fast, snappy game may be expected.

The champion Monarchs and the Tar Heels tried conclusion in a practice game at Seaside Park yesterday afternoon. The colors of the Monarchs were considerably lowered by a score of 3 to 2 in favor of the Tar Heels. Green and King were batteries for the Tar Heels and Myers and Poisson for the Monarchs. Mr. E. E. Dailey umpired the game. But the Monarchs are not to be hooted at on the ball field and will go up against the Y. M. C. A. boys at the park this afternoon confident of winning. The game will be worth seeing.

WILMINGTON GUN CLUB.

Scores in Regular Weekly Shoot Yesterday Afternoon—Notes.

Following are the scores made on the traps of the Wilmington Gun Club at the regular weekly trap shoot yesterday afternoon: Bellamy, R. H., 23, 22; Boushee, 22; Dreher, Dr., 19, 17, 20; King, J. T., 15, 10; Littig, 22, 18, 15, 14; Covington, 18, 18, 17, 19; King, J. C., 13, 13; Howell, 16, 19; Pickard 20, 20; Penny, 21, 20; Warren, 21 20; Hergenrother, 19, 18; Perdew, 18, 12; Holmes, 18, 17; Ahrens, 19, 14 19; Boylan, 20 16; Loder, 19; Davis, 19, 10, 9; Barnes, 19.

The new "black bird" trap for the club has arrived and a diversity of sport is now offered to members of the club.

A team from the Southport Club will be up next Friday to engage a team from the local organization.

Spend Sunday at Carolina Beach. Delightful steamer trip. Good Music. Fare, 25c. **

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS!

The Star will send, without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messengers to your place of business or residence for advertisements for our Business Locals department. 'Phone the Star Office, No. 51.

Rates—Twenty-five cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word. Positively, cash in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as it left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

JAS. M. HALL'S DRUG STORE—Corner 5th and Castle streets. Phone 192.

BULLUCK'S DRUG STORE—313 North Front street. Phone 150.

W. C. MUNDS' DRUG STORE—Corner 7th and Orange streets. Phone 554.

L. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 8th and Market streets. Phone 135.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 278.

P. O. HALL'S DRUG STORE—S. E. corner 4th and Harnett streets. Phone 66.

LOST OR STOLEN—A BERKSHIRE Boar. White face, feet and tail. Weighs about 90 pounds. No ear marks. Frix on rump. Reward for any information leading to recovery. Jerry Hand, Corner Fourth and Nixon Sts. jy29-6t*

ESTIMATES WANTED FROM CARpenters for repair work. Apply at the Star Office. jy28-tf

FOR SALE—PAIR OF FINE GOATS, well broken and dispositioned. May be seen at Orrell & Alexander's Stable. jy29-1t*

ICE COLD WATERMELONS AT THE Dixie Cafe, 117 Princess St. jy29-tf

DO YOU WISH TO RENT A HOUSE, or have you a house to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star. jy28-tf

WANTED—TO RENT, OCTOBER 1ST, a modern house, conveniently located, with not more than six rooms; or three or four rooms for light house-keeping. Address with full particulars, Bayard, care Star. jy26-3t*

NEW BICYCLE FOR SALE. FIFteen dollars cash. For further information apply at the Star office. jy25-6t*

WANTED—500 MEN TO TRY OUR La'Morna 5c. cigar. J. D. Vann. Phone 190. jy23-tf

DO YOU WANT BOARDERS; OR DO you want board? If so, advertise in this column of the Star. jy28-tf

WANTED—ONE HUNDRED OLD Feather Beds. Will pay the highest cash prices. Southern Feather Co., No. 16 North Fourth street. Phone 269. jy 23-1w*

A BARGAIN—STIEFF HIGH GRADE PIANO. Almost new. Will sell for $190 less than original price. Stieff's, Corner Front and Grace. jy22-tf

FOR AN AFTER DINNER SMOKE the "B. C. M." (Best Cigar made) leads them all. Price 5c. at J. D. Vann's. Phone 190. jy23-tf

WANTED.—WHITE LADY TO ATtend to pantry. Single one preferred. Apply at Delmonico Cafe. jy21-6t

WANTED.—COOK AND WAITERS at Delmonico's, 119 North Front. jy21-6t

HAVE YOU LOST OR FOUND ANYthing? Do you want furnished or unfurnished rooms, or have you such rooms to let? If so, advertise in this column of the Star jy28-tf

A LADY STENOGRAPHER AND Typewriter of four years' experience desires position. Understands bookkeeping. * Address, "V. A. J." Box 141, Dunn, N. C. * Recommendations may be seen at the Star office. jy19-tf.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A NICE house of 8 rooms with gas and all conveniences (in good repair) on 5th street in desirable residence section for $3,000. M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate Agents, 114 1-2 Princess streets. jy16-tf

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO TRY Bouquet Butter and Royal Cheese. I have just received fresh lot Sunbeam Lobster and Republic Salmon. Canned Sweet Potatoes, French Macaroni, choice lot Fancy Cakes and Crackers. Vegetables and Country Produce in Season. Prompt delivery. Phone 547. S. F. Craig, 605 N. Fourth Street. jy13tf

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned, 118-1-2 Princess Street, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, the 1st day of August, 1905, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy15toaug1

WANTED—AN INTELLIGENT BOY, 15 to 16 years old, with fair English education, to work in a Printing Office and Book Bindery. Apply at The Star Office. jy27-tf

WANTED.—COOK AND WAITERS at Delmonico's, 119 North Front. jy21-6t

TEN, FIFTEEN AND TWENTY cents per dozen for Bananas, 60c per bunch up. Also a car of fine Florida Melons expected to arrive tonight. A. S. Winstead, 213 Market Street. je11-tf

I HAVE NOW OPENED MY NEW ICE Cream Parlors at 618 N. Fourth Street, and can serve you with the purest cream, the finest confections and the choicest fruits to be found. A Mavronicholi. jy9-1mo

HAVING RENTED THE NEW HOtel at Carolina Beach, I am prepared to accommodate visitors with delightful, breezy rooms by the day, week, month or season. Mrs. Hans A. Kure, Carolina Beach, Wilmington, N. C. je30-tf

GROUND PROSPHATE LIME—GOOD for Peanuts, Potatoes, all kinds of Truck, Wheat, Oats and Clover. Considerable high grade of phosphate rock in the carbonate of lime. Analysis 80 to 85 per cent. pure carbonate of lime. For prices write R. F. Keith, Wilmington, N. C. je11-tf

FREE CONCERT EVERY WEDNESday and Saturday afternoon from 4 to 7 at Stieff's, Front and Grace. All sheet music 15c. on concert days. jy1-tf

FOR SALE, A MANDOLIN, BUT LITtle used and in perfect condition, with case. Will be sold for half original cost. Apply at Star Office. apr 21 tf

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Visitors and those living on the Sea shore should remember that Paracamph is the best remedy known for Sunburn, for Sore Feet, joints and muscles; it has no equal. It is a specific for all forms of inflammation. For sale at

HARDIN'S PALACE PHARMACY

jy 2-tf

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Lumina

The Peoples' Pleasure Palace

Spend the day at Lumina, the most delightful spot in the South.

Family parties wishing to eat their lunch on Lumina's verandas will be furnished tables free of charge. Lumina is the finest pavilion on the South Atlantic Coast.

MUSIC AND DANCING.
(Afternoon and Evening.)

BOWLING BATHING.

MOVING PICTURES.

FINE RESTAURANT.

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HOLE-PROOF SOX

With a Six Months Guarantee, 25c Each.

Newport Overalls

Union-Made in Pants with Belt to match, the best ever sold at $1.00.

The balance of Summer stock goes at cost.

Shoes—STAR BRAND are better.

Sole Agent for the Buster Brown Shoe for Boys and Girls.

J. W. H. FUCHS.

jy25-tf

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Cooper is Stocked on Fancy Patent Flour.

WHO KNOWS

It's all new wheat goods?

WHO KNOWS

It's moving so rapidly?

WHO KNOWS

Why?

Call and learn.

W. B. COOPER,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

jy26-tf

NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS!

Deposits made with us on or before August 1st, 1905, will begin to draw Interest from that date.

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B. H. J. AHRENS, Vice President.
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Liberal teaching facilities; modern college buildings, lecture hall and amphitheatres. Large and completely equipped laboratories. Capacious hospitals and dispensary. Send for catalogue. Address DAVID STREETT, M. D., DEAN, 712 PARK AVE., BALTIMORE, MD.

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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday Morning, July 29.

REASONS FOR EXTRA SESSION OF CONGRESS.

It was announced from Oyster Bay a few days ago that President Roosevelt has definitely determined to call an extra session of Congress on the 11th of November. It is also announced that this action of the President has been "prompted chiefly by the necessity for new legislation affecting the work on the Panama Canal." This causes the New York Journal of Commerce to say this:

"Last winter the pressing occasion for an extra session was the need of revising the tariff and the session was to be in the spring. The need did not diminish and has not yet diminished, but the President's mind underwent a change. He was induced to defer calling the extra session until after the summer, and the chief purpose of it was then to be to strengthen the power of the Inter-State Commerce Commission over the regulation of railroad rates. After the investigation of the Senate Committee there was another cooling of the Presidential purpose, and the impression was spread abroad that there was to be no special session of Congress after all.

"It seems that the purpose has revived in a new form, but the need of new legislation affecting the Panama Canal does not appear of itself like a very urgent occasion for an extraordinary session. There is ample authority for the President and the Canal Commission to proceed with the work and with preparations for the future under the Spooner Act. It is said that the momentous question of a sea level or a lock canal is yet to be decided, and that the Advisory Board of Consulting Engineers will meet in September and will probably reach a conclusion upon which to base a definite recommendation. Then the question will be ready for Congress. But we have been repeatedly told that the decision of that question, important as it is, will make no difference with the work to be done for the next two years, and it is difficult to see how it is to be materially affected by Congress meeting three weeks before the regular time.

"But one reason for an early meeting we do see, and that may be the real one which determined the President to call Congress together as soon as practicable after the fall election is over. The next session is apparently destined to be an unusually long one, and considerable time will be required for the organization of the new body with its committees and for getting down to work. Three or four extra weeks are much more desirable in November than in July or August. There are several important subjects to be dealt with, but, perhaps, all things considered, the Panama Canal question is entitled to pre-eminence over all others. An advantage can be given to it by making it the special subject of consideration for an extraordinary session with that consideration under way and with the subject in a position of distinct advantage for early action. We are inclined to think, therefore, that the President is well advised in concluding to issue the call and to make this matter the occasion for it; but it is to be hoped that he will not change his mind again or lose sight of the other questions that seemed so important a few months ago."

If the President is to call an extra session to provide canal legislation, it is evident that he has found it an up-hill business in being a law unto himself. The last Congress refused to cut down the membership of the canal commission but the President evaded the law and cut it down himself. He also personally took charge of the canal construction but has probably had enough experience now to realize that Congress may have some wisdom after all. At any rate it might be a good idea to divide responsibility with the Congress. We are rather inclined to believe, however, that if an extra session is called, the President will make the call comprehensive enough to tackle several propositions that have been worrying the administration.

McCLURE'S MAGAZINE.

The August number of McClure's is out and it is needless to say that this popular publication has a table of contents altogether instructive and detectable. Its pages contain many noteworthy articles and the illustrations are of a most entertaining and admirable character. It is impossible to give a succinct idea of the features of the August number but among the article are "The Judgment of Man," by James Hooper; "Catherwoods Data of Ethics," by Arthur Train; "John D. Rockefeller, a Character Study," by Ida M. Tarbell; "Ruskin on Judas Iscariot," and others. The magazine is sent for $1.00 per annum or 10c per copy. Address S. S. McClure Co., Fourth Avenue and 23rd street, New York.

BEGGING FOR QUARTER.

Referring to the Bennington disaster by which 62 men lost their lives on account of long continued negligence on somebody's part, Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, urged upon every one "whether in or out of the service the advisability and even duty of refraining from loose, unwise and uncharitable talk on a subpect so delicate." The whole administration no doubt would be pleased to have the same advice followed about all of its scandals.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—If you wish to train your memory carry an umberlla around with you, and don't lose it.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

—Engineer Wallace is not saying anything. It is possible, however, that he is silently constructing the largest dam he ever built.—New York Mail.

—It is thought that Witte could make his diplomatis service to Russia of far more value if he could manage to cut the cable.—Washington Star.

—A new kind of kissing bug is reported at Coney Island. But it is hardly possible for it to introduce many novelties in the kissing line at a summer resort.—Baltimore Sun.

—The Chinese, says Kang We Ye, are looking to Christians to carry out the golden rule they talk about. What an irritating and embrassing way of putting things the Chinese have!—Puck.

—Of course, it is not be wondered at that there should be smoke coming up from the tobacco statistics of the Agricultural Department, but for cotton to leak—well, that's different.—Topeka State Journal.

—Judging by the constant development of leaks at Washington, we should say the present Federal Administration must be about as full of holes as is a suspension bridge.—Charleston News and Courier.

TWINKLINGS.

—Professor—What are some of the uses of hot air? —Student—In oratory it is said to be especially useful in warning the audience up to the subject.— Detroit Free Press.

—"Maggie!" "Yes'm." "Why didn't you put the watermelon in the icebox as I told you?" "I did, mum." "But it isn't cold." "No, mum. Yez see, I had to take the ice out to get it in."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—"Good morning, ma'am," said Willie, doffing his cap. "My! What a polite little boy!" exclaimed Miss Passay. "Do you always take off your cap like that to ladies?" "No'm; only to old ladies."—Philadelphia Press.

—First Tramp—I was worried to death when I was in de hospital. Second Tramp—T'ought you was goin' to die? First Tramp—No; but I was scared dey might gimme one of dem cures for de drink habit.—Brooklyn Life.

—Bobby's father had given him a 10-cent piece and a quarter of a dollar, telling him he might put one or the other on the contribution plate. "Which did you give, Bobby?" his father asked when the boy came home from church. "Well, father, I thought at first I ought to put in the quarter," said Bobby, "but then just in time I remembered 'The Lord loveth a cheerful giver,' and I knew I could give the 10-cent piece a great deal more cheerfully, so I put that in."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Chatburn (Br.), 1,225 tons, Wood, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Banan (Nor.) 598 tons, Monsen, C. D. Maffitt.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons, Jasper, C. D. Maffitt.

Schooners.

Kate B. Ogden, 546 tons, Lamson, C. D. Maffitt.

Alice B. Phillips, 690 tons, Lundt, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 28, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—23 bales cotton; 9 barrels tar; 13 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—4 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—358 bales cotton; 12 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 39 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—66 casks spirits turpentine; 85 barrels rosin;1 barrel tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—20 casks spirits turpentine; 118 barrels rosin; 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Str Alice—16 casks spirits turpentine; 45 barrels rosin.

Str Black River—16 casks spirits turpentine; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Duplin—14 casks spirits turpentine; 70 barrels rosin; 53 barrels tar; 71 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. J. C. Allen—12 bales cotton; 16 casks spirits turpentine; 52 barrels rosin.

Total—397 bales cotton; 169 casks spirits turpentine; 382 barrels rosin; 71 barrels tar; 178 barrels crude turpentine.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Baptist church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor: Preaching tomorrow at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday School 4:30 P. M. Prayer and Praise service Wednesday night at 8:15. Public cordially invited to all services.

The Reverend Dr. McConnell, of South Carolina, will conduct services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. There will be no service at night.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets. Services to-morrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15. All welcome.

Forced to Starve.

B. F. Leek, of Concord, Ky., says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else I cured it, with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store; Only 25c. **

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 28, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 56c.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.10 bid.

TAR—Market firm at $2.00 bid per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPETINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, and $4.25 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, nothing doing, tar, firm, at $1.80; crude turpentine, firm at $2.25, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	169
Rosin	382
Tar	71
Crude	178

Receipts same day last year—107 casks spirits turpentine, 471 barrels rosin, 116 barrels tar, 292 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—397 bales; same day last year, 25 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.00; extra prime, $1.05; fancy $1.10, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime 80c., extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, $1.05 @$1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 1 @15 per pound; shoulders, 9@10c.; sides, dull, 9@10c.

EGGS—Dull at 12½@13 per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull Springs, 12 1-2@ 25c.; Grown, 30@35c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

PEAS — White, No sales; clay; $1.15@$1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 95@ $1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 1-2@4c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, July 28.—The cotton market was less active with fluctuations comparatively narrow. Closing prices from 5 to 7 points lower. The opening was steady unchanged on July, and generally 2 to 5 points higher in response to higher cables and continued covering. It was reported that August notices were in circulation to the extent of about 50,000 bales, the weather over the South was considered good, and after a little further advance during the first few minutes, with October selling up to 11.02, and the general list about 4 to 6 points net higher, prices soon eased off under liquidation to around 10.91 for the October option. It was reported, however, that notices were well taken care of and with smaller shorts uneasy over crop conditions and the probable showing of the August report next, a moderate show of bull support was sufficient to rally the market to about the previous high point around midday, following which there was another break under bear pressure and liquidation with prices in the afternoon 11 to 13 points lower. The close was steady and about 5 to 7 points up from the lowest on covering. Sales were estimated at 350,000 bales. Spot markets were generally unchanged.

Spot cotton closed quiet: Middling uplands, 11.05; middling gulf, 11.30; sales 4,100 bales.

Futures opened steady. July, 10.70; August, 10.74; September, 10.85; October, 10.98; December, 11.10; January, 11.12; February, 11.14@11.18; March, 11.16@11.18; April, 11.20 bid; May, 11.22.

Futures closed steady. July, 10.63; August, 10.65; September, 10.77; October, 10.91; November, 10.94; December, 10.99; January, 11.04; February, 11.06; March, 11.09; April, 11.13; May, 11.14.

High and low: July, 10.74 to 10.60; August, 10.76 to 10.59; September, 10.88 to 10.75; October, 11.02 to 10.84; November, 10.90 to 10.90; December, 11.10 to 10.93; January, 11.12 to 10.98; March, 11.18 to 11.05; April, 11.21 to 11.19; May, 11.23 to 11.11.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Firm, 10 15-16c.; net receipts, 4,464 bales.

New Orleans—Easy, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 2,645 bales.

Mobile—Steady, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 376 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 134 bales.

Charleston—Nominal, 10 3-8c.; net receipts, 48 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 397 bales.

Norfolk—Quiet, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 1,265 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11c.; net receipts, 680 bales.

New York—Quiet, 11.05; net receipts, 75 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 11.05; net receipts, 482 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.30.

Newport News—Net receipts, 291,- bales.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 175 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 13,- 012 bales; Great Britain, 3,655 bales; France, 11,440 bales; Continent, 12,- 710 bales; Japan, 850 bales; Stock, 386,714 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 99,- 395 bales; Great Britain, 35,473 bales; France, 24,062 bales; Continent, 39,- 193 bales; Japan, 3,799 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 9,952,344 bales; Great Britain, 3,912,412 bales; France, 841,- 075 bales; Continent, 3,167,362 bales; Japan, 311,047 bales; Mexico, 29,332 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet, 10 3-4c.; net receipts, 1,973 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 10 13-16c.; net receipts, 222 bales.

Memphis—Quiet, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 331 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 400 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 261 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 10 3-4c.; net receipts, 167 bales.

Cotton Receipts.

New York, July 28, 1905.

The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston, 2,747,496; New Orleans, 2,625,986; Mobile, 323,008; Savannah, 1,831,567; Charleston, 220,897; Wilmington, 377,711; Norfolk, 766,175; Baltimore, 56,414; New York, 33,350; Boston, 78,267; Newport News 17,- 799; Philadelphia, 13,079; San Francisco, 152,204; Brunswick, 196,048; Port Townsend, 143,732; Pensacola, 181,254; Portland, Ore., 13,981; Port Arthur & Sabine Pass, 124,815; Jacksonville, 19,857; Eagle Pass, Tex., 13,- 394; El Paso, Tex., 4,482; Laredo, Tex., 15,667; Minor Ports, 10,161. Total, 9,952,344 bales.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, July 28, 1905.

For the week ending Friday, July 28th:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 99,395; net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 14,333. Total receipts since September 1st, 9,- 952,344; total receipts to same date last year, 7,114,830. Exports for the week, 102,527; exports for same week last year, 27,033. Total exports since September 1st, 8,261,228; total exports same date last year, 5,839,141. Stock at all United States ports, 386,- 714; stock at all United States ports same time last year, 103,111. Stock at all interior towns, 143,306; stock at all interior towns same time last year, 66,810.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, July 28.—4 P. M.—Cotton —Spot in moderate demand, prices 6 to 8 points higher; American middling fair, 6.45d; good middling, 6.17d.; middling, 6.01d.; low middling, 5.35d.; good ordinary, 5.67d.; ordinary, 5.51d.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 5,200 American. Receipts 22,100 bales all American. Futures opened firm and closed quiet and steady. American middling G. O. C: July, 5.89d.; July and August, 5.89d.; August and September, 5.88d.; September and October, 5.90d.; October and November, 5.92d.; November and December, 5.92d.; December and January, 5.93d; January and February, 5.94d.; February and March, 5.94d.; March and April, 5.95d.; April and May, 5.95d; May and June, 5.96d.; June and July, 5.96d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 28.—Money on call easy, 1 3-4@2 per cent., closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Time loans easy, sixty days, 3 per cent., ninety days, 3 3-4; six months, 3 3-4@4. Prime mercantile paper 4@4 1-4 per cent. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers bills at 486.50@486.60 for demand and at 484.85@484.90 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 485 1-2@ 487 1-2. Commercial bills 484 5-8@ 484 3-4. Bar silver, 58 7-8. Mexican dollars, 45 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s reg	103 7-8
U. S. refunding, 2s. cou.	103 7-8
U. S. 3s reg.	103 1-4
U. S. 3s cou.	104
U. S. New 4s. reg	131 3-4
U. S. 4s new cou.	133
U. S. old 4s reg.	104
U. S. 4s old cou	104
American Tobacco, 4s cert.	76
American Tobacco, 6s cert	116
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s	102 5-8
Baltimore Ohio, 4s	105 7-8
L. & N. Unified, 4s	103 7-8
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	90
Southern Railway, 5s	119
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	95 1-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	83 1-8
American Sugar Refining	140 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd. cert	96 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	159
Baltimore & Ohio	114 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	98 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	55 5-8
Louisville & Nashville	145 1-4
Manhattan L.	165
Mexican Central	21 5-8
New York Central	146 7-8
Norfolk & Western	86 7-8
Norfolk & Western, pfd	92
People's Gas	105
Reading, 1st pfd	92 1-4
Reading, 2d pfd	93
Reading	104 7-8
Southern Pacific	65 1-4
Southern Pacific, pfd	118
Southern Railway	33 1-4
Southern Railway, pfd	98
Tenn., Coal & Iron	88 3-8
U. S. Steel	35 1-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	103 5-8
Va-Car. Chemical	33 1-4
Va-Car. Chemical, pfd	106
S. A. L., com.	—
S. A. L., pfd.	—
Western Union	93
Standard Oil	616

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, July 28.—A weak wheat market here today resulted from profit taking following reports of excellent condition of winter wheat. At the close wheat for September delivery was off 1 1-2@1 5-8. Corn is down 3-4. Oats show a loss of 11 -2. Provisions are practically unchanged.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
July	86½	87⅝	85¾	86
Spet	86¾	87⅝	85¾	85⅝
Dec.	87⅞	88⅝	86½	86½
Corn, No. 2.—				
July, old	54⅜	54⅜	54	54¼
July, new	54¼	54⅝	54¼	54⅛
Sept, old	52¾	53⅜	52⅝	52⅝
Sept, new	52½	53	52¼	52¼
Dec.	45¾	45⅞	45⅝	45⅝
Oats, No. 2.—				
July	29¼	29½	28⅞	29¼
Sept	28⅜	28½	28	28
Dec.	29	29	28½	28½
May	30½	30⅝	30¼	30¼
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept	13.12½	13.22½	13.12½	13.15
Oct.	13.17½	13.17½	13.12½	13.12½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	7.27½	7.32½	7.27½	7.27½
Oct.	7.37½	7.40	7.35	7.37½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	7.92½	8.00	7.92½	7.97½
Oct.	8.00	8.05	7.97½	8.05

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.04@1.10; No. 3 spring wheat, 95@ 1.05; No. 2 red, 88 1-2@89 1-4; No. 2 corn, 55 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 55 1-4@ 55 1-2; No. oats, 29 1-2@30; No. 2 white, 29 3-4@30 1-2; No. 3 white, 28 1-2@30; No. 2 rye, 58@60; Good feeding barley, 37@38; Fair to choice malting, 42@45; No. 1 flax seed, 1.31; No. 1 northwestern, 1.39; Prime timothy seed, 3.15@3.20; Mess port, per bbl., 13.05@13.10; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.15@7.17½; Short ribs side(loose), 7.85@7.95; Short clear sides(boxed), 7.87 1-2@8.00; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.27; Clover, contract grade, 12.75@13.00.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, July 28.—Flour dull and unchanged.

RYE FLOUR—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot easy; No. 2 red, 93 3-8 f. o. b. afloat. Last prices on options showed 1 1-4 to 4 net loss, July being the weakest. May, 92 3-4; July 89 1-2; September, 89 7-8; December, 91 1-4.

CORN—Easy; No. 2, 61 elevator. Options 1-2@ 3-4 net lower. July, 61 1-2; September, 59 3-8.

OATS—Spot easy; mixed, 34@ 34 1-2.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 17@ 21.

CHEESE—Firm; small, colored and white, 10@10 3-4.

EGGS—Easy; western, 18 1-2@ 19 1-2.

LARD—Firm; western steamed, 7.35; refined firm; continent, 7.45; compound, 5 1-2@5 3-4.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Firm.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; mild firm. Futures steady, net unchanged to 10 points lower.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 7-16; centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-16@ 4 3-32; molasses sugar 3 3-10; refined unsettled.

POTATOES—Easy; Long Island, 2.00; Southern, 1.75@2.00; Southern sweets, 3.50@4.50.

PEANUTS—Quiet; fancy handpicked, 5@5 1-4; other domestic, 3@5 1-2.

CABBAGES—Firm; Long Island per 100, 5.00@6.00.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 12@13.

COTTON SEED OIL—Steady to firm but quiet; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 23 1-2; prime summer yellow, 29 1-2@29 3-4; off summer yellow, nominal; prime white, 31@31 1-2; prime winter yellow, 31@31 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 28.—Turpentine dull, 59 1-2 to 60; rosin quiet, strained common to good, 3.60.

Savannah, July 28.—Turpentine firm 56 1-2; receipts, 924; shipments, 2,869; sales 920. Rosin firm; receipts 2,614; shipments 3,705; sales 3,294. Quote: A. B. C., 3.30d.; D., 3.40d.; E., 3.70d; F., 3.80d.; G., 3.85d.; H., 3.95d; I., 4.00; K., 4.15; M., 4.25; N., 4.40; W. G., 4.85; W. W., 5.05.

Charleston, July 28.—Turpentine steady, 56 1-2; sales 65; Rosin steady; sales 384. Quote A. B. C., 3.15; D., 3.25; E., 3.55; F., 3.65; G., 3.70; H., 3.80; I., 3.85; K., 4.00; M., 4.05; N., 4.25; W. G., 4.70; W. W., 4.90.

Very Low Summer Excursion Rates to Western North Carolina Resorts

Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

On sale daily; good till October 31st, with stop-over privilege.

Ashville and return	$14.90
Henderson and return	14.45
Hickory and return	10.70
Hot Springs and return	16.50
Newton and return	10.15
Statesville and return	10.15
Waynesville and return	16.20
Blowing Rock and return	15.80
Lenoir and return	11.80
Lincolnton and return	8.75
Rutherfordton and return	9.65
Shelby and return	9.65

In addition to the Summer Excursion tickets, we will sell week-end tickets to the following resorts at very low rates:

Lincolnton and return	$5.05
Hickory and return	5.95
Cliffs and return	6.10
Lenoir and return	6.65
Blowing Rock and return	8.55
Chimney Rock and return	8.55
Granite Falls and return	6.25

These tickets are on sale Friday's; good to return Tuesday's.

For rates to other resorts, schedules, and the Seaboard beautiful Summer Booklet on Mountain and Lake resorts, apply E. B. Williamson, 105 Princess street. C. H. Gattis, Raleigh.

Pullman parlor car service between Wilmington and Charlotte.

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SPECIAL RATES TO HOT SPRINGS, ARK., VIA SEABOARD.

The SEABOARD announces rate of one first-class fare plus $2.00 from all points in North Carolina to Hot Springs, Ark., Eureka Springs, Ark., and Eldorado Springs, Mo. Tickets will be sold first and third Tuesday's in July, August and September, final limit, sixty days from date of sale, but not to extend beyond October 31st.

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At the close of Business, May 29th, 1905.

(Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$1,140,746 97	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	335,000 00	Surplus and Net Profits	151,022 17
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	281 950 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	701,913 87	Depbsits	1,469,708 67
Total	$2,202,660 84	Total	$2,202,660 84

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS.

May 29th, 1903, $1,...9,057 60.

May 24th, 1904. $1,307,643 32.

May 29th, 1905, $1,469,708 67.

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J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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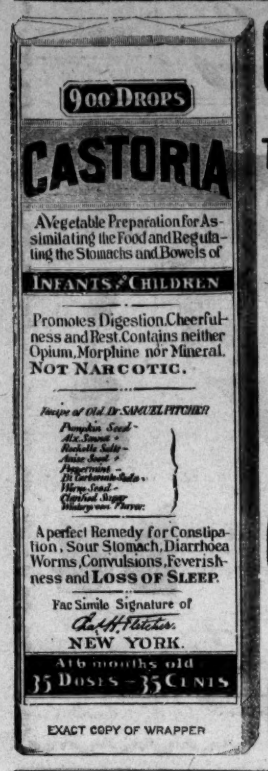
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—The Southern Railway is having estimates made for a handsome new depot at Salisbury.

—A new bank is being organized in Salisbury with $75,000 capital, most of which has already been subscribed. A charter will be asked for within a few days. The promoters are N. B. McCanless, D. R. Julian, R. Lee Wright and other business and professional men.

—Maxton Scotish Chief, July 27: One of the prettiest home weddings ever witnessed in Maxton took place yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen McLean, when their daughter, Miss Mary Jane, and Mr. R. DeVane Croom, of this place, were happily married, Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D., officiating.

—A dispatch from Asheville on Thursday says: Sheriff W. H. Coleman, of Columbia, S. C., passed through the city yesterday afternoon en route to his home. Sheriff Coleman has been on a hunting trip in the mountains of western North Carolina for the past week and succeeded in bagging considerable lage game. Monday he killed a bear near Black Mountain that tripped the scales of 300 pounds.

—Thuesday evening between 6 and 7 o'clock J. D. White, a young farmer living four miles from Scotland Neck, was killed by lightning while filling his barn with tobacco. A colored man who was in the barn was killed. Two of Mr. White's brothers were also in the barn, one of whom was unharmed, and the other partially paralyzed in one leg. There were two colored persons in the barn who suffered a considerable shock, but were not scriously injured.

—A dispatch from Salisbury on Thursday says: Jacob Morgan and John Brady, each aged 17 years of Rockwell, Rowan county, have been lodged in jail here on the charge of wrecking a passenger train on the Yadkin branch of the Southern Railway on June 27. A spike was placed upon the rail in such a manner as to derail the train. Detectives Haney, who has been working on the case since the incident, has strong evidence against the boys, who ran away, but were later captured.

—Recently the family of W. A. Davis, a merchant of Asheville, killed a chicken and from the gizzard of the fowl were taken four small gold nuggets. At first none of the family thought it possible that the nuggets could be gold and the lumps were left lying about the house. It occurred to Mr. Davis, however, that the nuggets might be gold and he determined to have them assayed. In the meantime the largest of the four nuggets was lost and Mr. Davis took the remaining three down town to a local jeweler. It developed that the lumps were really gold nuggests and that there was $5 worth of gold in the three lumps.

—Charlotte Observer, July 28: Worth Long, an intelligent negro tenant upon the farm of 'Squire D. W. Alexander's plantation, north of the city, is very indignant and aggrieved at the ease with which a certain claimed-to-be negro preacher is buncoing the members of his race in this county. According to Long, who is one of the best darkeys in the county, the preacher, a smooth-talking mulato, goes to the various churches, organizes societies and takes collections in the interest of an alleged movement looking toward the pensioning of all ex-slaves. The whole thing is a fake, of course, but the scheme takes with the negroes and liberal collections are sometimes given.

—At Asheville Thursday afternoon Mayor Barnard received a letter from George Freeman, at Ridgefield, Conn., asking information concerning the recent arrest of Hopkins Fletcher, who, it is alleged, confessed to the murder of Mack Freeman, four years ago, a murder that has since baffled the officers. It is alleged that the murder was committed near Waynesville, and that Fletcher is now in jail there. George Freeman says that his father was named Mack Freeman and that his whereabouts has been a mystery to both young Freeman and his mother for the past four years. The writer says that in 1900, when they lost track of the father, he and his mother were living in Raleigh.

—At Laurinburg on Thursday, a great crowd attended the unveiling of the monument erected to the memory of Prof. William Graham Quockenbush, who died March 9, 1903. He held never any political office; he was a poor man. He was nothing but a schoolmaster. Yet there were men present from States as far distant as Texas to attend the unveiling of a monument to his memory—men who had received the direction of their lives from him. There was little other talk on the crowded streets of the town except of him. The sermon on the occasion was preached by the Rev. W. L. Keesler and the address was delivered by former Governor Chas. B. Aycock, of Goldsboro.

—A big damage suit has been instituted against the Southern Railway Company at Charlotte by Mr. Fred H. Russell, a former employe, for about $25,000. Mr. Russell was recently standing in the door of one of the refrigerator cars as it was being placed in position in the rear of Cochrane & McLaughlin5s store. Suddenly, without warning, the forward door was torn from its hinges and Mr. Russell was thrown out between the moving car and the near-by wall, the marks of his body showing distinctly against the brick wall of the store. for more than twenty feet. By the greatestest good luck Mr. Russell escaped with his life, although several bones were broken and a number of other injuries were sustained.

—A dispatch from Lincolnton says: "Gone and gone for good" is the message left for his short time wife by Mr. A. W. Biggerstaff, who until last Sunday lived near here, and this ends rudely what was a prime article of romance. On April 14th in Charlotte Mr. Biggerstaff wedded Mrs. Anna B. Chapman, who came all the way from Saginaw, Michigan, to wed the lover she had gained by answering Biggerstaff's advertisement for a wife in a matrimonial paper. After the wedding the happy couple, not too young, but still verdant, went to the Biggerstaff home near here, and started along the rose petalled path of love. But there were thorns, and Biggerstaff seems to have found them, for last Sunday he had disappeared and is now in parts unknown.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surpirse party may be given to your stomach and liver, by taking a medicine which will relieve their pain and discomfort, viz.: Dr King's New Life Pills. They are a most wonderful remedy, affording sure relief and cure, for headache, dizziness and constipation 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. **

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Or do you want a situation? A room? Board or boarders? To rent a house?

Perhaps you have a house or lot for sale or exchange? Perhaps you want to buy or sell a horse?

You may want to buy or sell a piano, furniture, cameraes, dishes, lawn mower, automobile, bath tub, parrot, dog, curtains, sewing machine, watch, diamonds, jewelry of any description, clock, buggy, shotgun, rifle, stove, stools?

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

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PANTS SALE!



While in New York last week I closed out at manuafcturers cost 300 pairs of Flannel and Crash Outing Pants and we therefore offer you these goods at the

FOLLOWING REDUCTION.

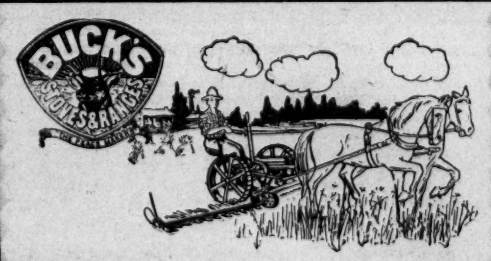
$2.25	Pants reduced to	$1.50
3.00	Pants reduced to	2.25
3.50	Pants reduced to	2.50
3.75	Pants reduced to	2.75
4.00	Pants reduced to	3.00
4.50	Pants reduced to	3.25
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Come and make your selection at once as they won't stay with us long at these low prices.

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NOTICE—LAND SALE.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county rendered at June Term, 1905, in an action entitled L. S. Catlin v. The Palmetto Company and William Kraft, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Wilmington on Monday, August 7th, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following described property, to-wit: a certain lot, tract, pacel or piece of land usually designated as the "Unknown factory," situate, lying and being in Cape Fear Township, County of New Hanover, said State and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a marked Sweet Gum tree forty (40) feet westerly from the Northwest corner of the bridge known as Little Bridge, running thence N. 34 degrees 30 minutes E. one hundred and eighty-two (9,182) feet to a stake on the Western margin of the County Road; thence with the Western margin of said road N. 52 degrees E. five hundred and nine (509) feet to a stake on the Western margin of said road; thence across the field N. 46 degrees 45 minutes W. nine hundred and ninty (990) feet on the margin of Smith's Creek; thence up the margin of said creek about S. 35 degrees W. about four hundred and ten (410) feet to a stake in the margin of said creek; thence S. 51 degrees E. four hundred and sixty three (463) feet to a stake; thence S. 31 degrees 30 minutes four and twenty-six feet (426) feet to a marked Water Oak, tree on the margin of the Creek Easterly about three hundred and eight-two (382) feet to the beginning, the same being a part of the plantation well known as "Sans Souci"; together with all buildings, machinery, tools and other property thereon and now owned by the party of the first part, pertinent to or intended for the use and operation in the business of the manufacture of Cable Coatings, Turpentine, Oils, Charcoal and other products of the Long Leaf Yellow Pine tree. And also and including the platboats for carrying wood or merchandise, etc., together with all the furniture, desks, chairs, safe, letter press, labortory equipment, etc., and all appurtenances thereto belonging. Also all the right title and interest of the parties of the first part in and to all that free and perpetual right of entry, right-of-way and easement at any and all times, for purpose of surveying, locating, constructing, operating, maintaining, improving and repairing a line of Rail Road, leading from the lands above described of the parties of the first part, to and connecting with the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad in, over and through a strip of land twenty (20) feet in width, that is to say, ten (10) feet wide on each side of and measured at right angles to the centre of the tract of said railroad as the same shall be located and constructed which said strip of land is part of a tract of land belonging to the County of New Hanover and situate on the North side of Smith's Creek, and lying between the Duplin or County road, and the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, being the same premises, right, title and interest therein conveyed by the Board of Commissioners for the County of New Hanover of the State of North Carolina to The Imperial Pine Product Company, by a deed bearing date March 6th, 1893 and recorded in said County Register's office on March 21st, 1893 in book 11, pages 432, etc. Also all the right, title and interest of the parties hereto of the first part in and to the copy-right trademark — IMPEROLENE.

Terms of sale are cash upon confirmation of sale by the Court. This, July 7th, 1905.

F. L. HUGGINS, Commissioner.

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SEASON 1905.

BUFFALO LITHIA SPRINGS HOTEL

(Cottage System).

Now Open. Closes Sept. 30th.

On Norfolk Division Southern R. R., 62 miles east of Danville, Va. Round Trip Tickets, good to return until Sept. 30th, on sale at all principal points at reduced rates. Guests have the free use of the medicinal waters. Hot and cold mineral water baths. Send for pamphlet giving full particulars.

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NATURE SPARES

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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

Suburban Trolley Schedule.

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Front & Princess St., Wilmington. Leave.		The Pavilion Wrightsville Beach. Leave.
	(Daily)	6:00 A. M.
6:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	7:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M.	(Daily)	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	8:15 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	(Daily)	8:45 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	"	8:45 A. M.
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12:00 M.	"	12:45 P. M.
12:30 P. M.	"	1:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	"	1:45 P. M.
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2:00 P. M.	"	2:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	"	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	"	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	"	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	"	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	"	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	"	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	"	6:15 P. M.
6:00 P. M.	"	6:45 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	"	7:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	"	7:45 P. M.
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10:00 P. M.	"	10:45 P. M.
10:30 P. M.	"	11:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	"	11:45 P. M.
12:15 P. M. Owl Car	"	

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS.

Trains Arriving Wilmington.		Due at Beach.
A. C. L.	10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.	12:30 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
S. A. L.	12:45 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	1:40 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:00 P. M.	7:05 P. M.
A. C. L.	8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
S. A. L.	8:50 P. M.	9:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	11:45 P. M.	12:45 A. M.

Trains Leaving Wilmington.		Leave Beach.
S. A. L.	7:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.
A. C. L.	8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	2:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	3:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	3:45 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:50 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

BAGGAGE.

Arriving.

Arrive in Wilmington.		Arrive at Beach.
A. C. L.	10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.	12:30 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	12:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	1:40 P. M.	4:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
A. C. L.	8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.

Leaving.

Leaving Wilmington.		Leave Beach.
A. C. L.	8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	2:25 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	3:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	3:45 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:50 A. M.	5:45 P. M.

Baggage leaving the Beach must be checked at least 15 minutes before leaving time of baggage car.

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Ninth & Orange Sts. Wilmington. Leave.	The Pavilion Wrightsville Beach Leave.
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1:30 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

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Freight not received within 20 minutes of leaving time will be carried on next regular train.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, June 6, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charleston	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	12 05 am
Ar Jacksville		8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa		6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	2 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.

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Leave for Carolina Beach on Saturdays at 2 P. M.

Leave on Sundays for Southport and Carolina Beach at 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

Leave for Carolina Beach on Sundays at 9:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M. and 7.20 P. M. my24-tf

From New York for Wilmington.

S. S. Navahoe ..... Saturday, July 29
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S. S. Carib ..... Saturday, July 29
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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday Morning, July 29.

BLUE BEARD HOCH HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Preparations Were Complete for Hanging Him But Governor Granted Reprieve Till August 25th.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Chicago, July 28.—Johann Hoch, "Bluebeard," and confessed bigamist, sentenced to be hanged today for poisoning one of his wives, was this afternoon granted a reprieve until August 25, by Governor Deneen. The stay of execution followed hours of anxiety on the part of Hoch who had never given up hope and was allowed by the Governor only after the latter had been assured that the necessary sum to appeal the case had been raised. The amount $500 was given by an attorney and friend of Hoch's counsel. The attorney declared he was actuated purely by humanitarian motives.

An incident at the jail during the preparations for the execution was the appearance of a physician and a woman who told Jailer Whitman that they wanted to help in Hoch's battle for life. They said they wished to raised funds for the condemned man and asked Jailer Whitman to delay the hanging as long as possible. Hoch's attorney, however, had already been in communication with the authorities respecting the stay of sentence.

The woman who intervened in behalf of Hoch was Miss Cora Wilson. She professed to have become interested in the case from humanitarian motives only. She enlisted, in her aid, Dr. Liston H. Montgomery, one of the most prominent physicians in the city. Miss Wilson said: "I am interested in the case solely because I think the man ought to have an equal chance."

Dr. Montgomery said: "This lady whose name, as far as I am concerned, must ever remain a secret, is actuated solely from humanitarian motives. It is the same cause which determined me to assist her. I became interested in the case from a scientific standpoint long ago. I went over the testimony thoroughly. The deduction made by experts as to how Hoch administered arsenic to his wives, I have always deemed absurd."

All arrangements had been made for the execution today and in view of the action of Governor Deneen yesterday in refusing a stay of execution and similar action by the State Board of Pardons, Hoch's chance for life was considered slight. About the time set for the execution the attorney who furnished the money appeared in the case for the first time. This attorney, it was said telephoned Hoch's lawyer that the former had $500 to give toward aiding to appeal the case. The two lawyers hastened to the jail, told Jailer Whitman of the money secured and arranged with the jailer to postpone as long as possible the execution of Hoch. Meanwhile they sought State's Attorney Healy and had him arrange a conference with Governor Deneen over the long distance telephone. Hoch's counsel told the Governor that there was lacking only a small sum of money of the amount necessary for a review of the case. After discussing the matter with the State's attorney the Governor finally consented to a stay for the condemned man and so notified Hoch's counsel.

Hoch, even several hours before the time set for the hanging, was quite confident of executive clemency, although at times he seemed to despair of receiving a reprieve.

Hoch retired early in the night and woke at 7 o'clock this morning, cordially greeted his death watch of two guards and talked with them for some time. He changed his clothes and seemed resigned to the fate that awaited him but he assured his few visitors that there might be a chance for him yet. He received his attorney, two ministers, Jailer Whitman and Dr. F. W. McNamara, the jail physician. Hoch discussed with them his prospects for a stay and reiterated his innocence of the charge of murder. He read the Bible and said his prayer. Meanwhile, unknown to Hoch, the negotiations for the reprieve were progressing. It was noon, and the delay up to this time inspired Hoch with renewed hope. He ate dinner, smoked a cigar and read. Half an hour later through the window of his quarters having been removed from the cell he had occupied, he received the news of his reprieve. It was conveyed to him by spectators of the proceedings in the State's attorney office which adjoins that of the jail building. He was disinclined to believe the news at first but when it was brought to him also by the ministers he was overjoyed. He clasped their hands and declared that he was the happiest man alive. The crowd about the jail sent up a shout that was heard for blocks. The prisoners joined in the demonstration and Hoch was almost overcome. Hoch said: "If the Supreme Court decides against me I am willing to die. I ask no mercy and no favor. I believe in the law but I feel that if the Supreme Court has a chance to review the case it will result favorably to me."

Hoch's attorney announced that he would at once prepare to appeal the case.

WARM WIRELETS.

E. H. Heyser, postmaster at Abbeville, Miss., shot and killed B. A. Gallagher in that village early yesterday. Heyster claims self-defense.

H. P. Reigart, formerly purchasing agent of the Grand Island Railway, with headquarters at St. Joseph, Mo., has been appointed purchasing agent for the Tidewater Railway with headquaters in Norfolk. He assumed charge of his office at Norfolk yesterday.

At Montreal yesterday the argument for the writ of habeas corpus in the Gaynor-Greene was by mutual consent of judge and counsel postponed until September 5. The habeas corpus application is on the ground that the magistrate had no power to try their case.

At Fall River, Mass., the sales in the print cloth market during the week amounted to about 200,000 pieces. There has been a marked advance in the price of regulars during the week, the price for 28-inch 64 squares having risen from 3 1-4 nominal to 3 3-8 cents and at even this advanced figure manufacturers are not apparently very anxious to do an extensive business. Everything points to higher prices both for the raw and finished material.

FEVER STRICKEN NEW ORLEANS

Number of Cases of Yellow Fever is Now 227 and 35 Centers Are Infected

NEW CASES YESTERDAY 21

Systematic Efforts to Control Plague—Shot Gun Quarantine Outside of City—Desperate Efforts of People to Get Away.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New Orleans, July 28.—The following report as to the progress of yellow fever in New Orleans is up to 6 P. M. to-day: New cases, 21; total cases to date 227. Deaths to-day, 3; deaths since July 12th, 47. New centres, 8; total centres, 35.

Of the deaths to-day, one occurred at the Eemergency Hospital and was one of the cases transferred there yesterday. That institution now has 19 cases under treatment and to-day discharged its first patient as cured.

The State Board of Health to-day divided the State into districts, comprising half a dozen parishes each, with a medical inspector in charge of each, and will immediately investigate all rumors and reports of yellow fever cases which come to light outside of New Orleans, and that part of the State which is now included in the city for quarantine purposes.

There is no foundation for the report of the case near Borgan City, and that the body and house had been burned. It has been thoroughly investigated.

Efforts to Suppress Plague.

New Orleans, July 28.—Although the unofficial reports made public to-day showed a larger number of yellow fever deaths than yesterday when there were only two, and the appearance of a number of new cases, the men of science who are warring against the yellow fever plague ended the day's labors confident that the situation was still well in hand and with no immediate prsopects of becoming alarming. Today's official report of yesterday's progress of the disease shows that the entire quarter above Canal street was free from a single new case and that the fever was only spreading in the poorer habitations of the downtown quarter, with new cases isolated except in the heart of the French market quarter.

The health authorities continue to hold also that the plague remains an Italian infection, all but two of the 26 cases reported today being of that nationality. Almost without exception since the beginning of the fever, those who have fallen victims to the disease have been of the poorer classes of the population, many of them not long residents of the United States and therefore unacclimated.

For several years the planters of Louisiana have been replacing negroes with Italian labor, and there has been a steady flow of immigration from Sicily and other parts of Italy to Louisiana. Many of these immigrants have remained in New Orleans, finding employment in the peddling of fruit or in the work of unloading vessels at the fruit wharves. It was among these that the fever first appeared and to their lack of acclimation and the inadequacy of their treatment has been largely due the heavy mortality that has characterized the present visitation of the scourge.

Today's deaths have ben principally Italians. In two or more cases in the last two days deaths have been reported of persons who were only reported the day previously as having taken the fever. There have been concealed cases, which the emergency officers with the asistance of the surgeons have disclosed.

The first death in the emergency hospital occurred today. The hospital was opened yesterday with 13 cases, and an equal number was added today. Into the hospital are sent the worst cases of unfortunates found without comforts or medical attendance in their homes.

In order to remove an impression that may exist in the public mind that al cases of yellow fever are not being reported, the city board made this announcement today:

"Up to now, cases reported to the city board as suspicious and occurring in the infected locality have been reported as such to the State Board, but have been treated as yellow fever, whilst cases reported as suspicious in other localities are investigated prior to reporting to the State Board. In future, however, all cases reported as suspicious to the city board will be investigated before being reported to the State Board irrespective of locality."

A number of the cases reported today were above Canal street. One under observation is that of a nurse who had rendered heroic service in nursin the unfortunates in the heart of the infected French market quarter. During her employment she was bitten by mosquitoes and apparently contracted the disease. The other cases have also been traced to the original infection, and the authorities today said that they had not received reports of any cases that were not thus traceable as was that reported from Tampa, Fla., and those reported at several points in Louisiana parishes.

The Louisiana State Board of Health met today and finally ordered a quarantine of the State against New Orleans. That action became necessary to protect all points in the State from being quarantined against by Alabama, Texas and Mississippi. Three parishes and one town in another parish were granted communication with New Orleans. They are contiguous to the city, many of their people do busines here and they would suffer more harm by being cut off from the city than by having the three States put up the bars against them.

The Mississippi authorities in justification of the fever quarantines which that State has established, say it became necessary because New Orleans people have been resorting to all sorts of methods to get into that State. In some cases they are charged with riding to the State line and disembarging and then slipping quietly over the line. An attempt to run the quarantine resulted disastrously today for E. C. Joullan, a canner and a prominent resident of Biloxi, Miss. Mr. Joullan was in Louisiana when the quarantine was put on. He thought he might reach his home by water route without encountering the Mississippi guards. When he landed on the coast, however, he was seized by order of General Fridge of the State National Guard, and promptly sent to the quarantine station at Ship Island in the gulf for ten days. Yellow fever patients are said now to be in detention on the island. When he is released Mr. Joullan will be tried for violating the quarantine laws.

Two New Orleans drummers tried to get into Biloxi by back-tracking from Atlanta. When they stepped from the train they were immediately recognized and apprehended. They accepted the privilege of returning to Atlanta.

Owing to the increasing number of local quarantines it is almost impossible to go twenty miles through Mississippi without a health certificate. Not only in Mississippi, but in Louisiana, the shot gun quarantine is again in evidence and there is every indication of a revival of the panicky feeling of seven or eight years ago. Meantime New Orleans is sitting down with increasing faith in the mosquito theory; and except for the quarantines and the news in the papers, strangers arriving would have no evidence of the prevalence of any unusual illness.

Rev. Beverly Warner, general superintendent of the volunteer work in various wards, today issued a letter to the executive officers of each ward association, asking that daily reports be submitted to him of what has been accomplished the preceeding day, including the number of houses visited, of cess pools treated, cisterns oiled and screened and such other details as will assist the board of health to an exact knowledge of the situation. Large quantities of oil have been given by the oil companies to be used in the disinfection of gutters and pools of water.

Screening and oiling cisterns is to be popularized in a novel way. Thousands of lapel-buttons have been ordered to be given to those who have followed this regulation of the board of health. The buttons and pain white with a life size stegomyia fascinata pictured in the center and surrounded with the words: "My cisterns are all right. How are yours?"

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Mayor Bohrman has received a telegraphic offer of funds from President Taylor of the Howard Association of Charleston. He has replied thanking the people of Charleston for their sympathy but saying that the situation is well in hand here and that no financial aid is needed from the outside.

Burnt Child Dreads the Fire.

Memphis, Tenn, July 8.—By a vote of 9 to 3 the Executive Council of Memphis went on record late to-day as favoring a strict quarantine against New Orleans and other fever infected points. The quarantine will become operative imemdiately. Inspectors have been appointed and every railroad train from the South will be closely canvassed before arriving in Memphis. Boats will also be inspected and no person from fever-infected points will be allowed to land in the city limits.

The action of the authorities in establishing a quarantine was brought about by two meetings here to-day. The first was held in the Merchants' Exchange. About 400 representaives citizens were present, and resolutions were adopted urging the local authorities, to establish a quarantine. Later in the day the Memphis Cotton Exchange took formal action, endorsing the resolution adopted at the Merchants' Exchange.

NEED OF BETTER JAILS.

Governor Glenn Talks of Teachey Execution—Need of Immigrants.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 28.—Governor Glenn announced to-day his intention to write each Superior Court judge in the State a personal letter calling on them to see to it that the jails in their respective districts are put in such condition that any prisoner sentenced to be hanged can be kept in the jail of the county in which the prisoner is to be executed, instead of sending him to some other county for safe keeping. He says that the circumstances of the execution of Dan Teachey, in Duplin county, were brutal. Teachey, said the Governor, was sent to Wayne jail; then escorted handcuffed to Goldsboro station, carried on the train to the nearest station, and driven in an open wagon several miles through the country, with great crowds following. Such practice, says Governor Glenn, is nothing short of brutal.

Governor Glenn to-day sent to the Cumberland county commissioners a reply to an appeal made to him relative to the scarcity of labor and the necessity of attracting desirable immigrants to North Carolina. His Excellency in answer regretted that the Legislature did not see fit to establish an immigration bureau but he pledged his hearty co-operation to endorse the idea of the congressional district meetings, and recommends that Register of Deeds get a list of lands in the respective counties for sale or rent and the facts as to what class of labor the various sections are in need, advertise these in some paper published in the county or elsewhere, so those seeking investments, wanting homes or places to work may correspond with county representatives; also that these facts be filed with the Department of Agriculture and Immigration at Raleigh. In conclusion he says he is almost willing to turn his office into an immigration agency to help people in their dilemma.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

South Atlantic League.

Columbia, 0; Augusta, 3.
Charleston, 8; Savannah, 3.
Jacksonville, 3; Macon, 2.

Southern League.

Atlanta, 7; Memphis, 8.
Nashville, 0; New Orleans, 2.
Montgomery-Shreveport, rain.
Birmingham-Little Rock, rain.

Virginia-Carolina League.

Greensboro, 7; Charlotte, 5. First game.
Greensboro, 9; Charlotte, 4. Second game.
Danville, 1; Winston-Salem, 1. Game called in second half of second inning on account of rain.

At Tallahassee, Fla., yesterday the Supreme Court rendered its decision affirming the judgment of the lower court in the Sunday baseball case. The decision affirms the constitutionality of the law forbidding Sunday baseball.

Good dinner, good music, fine bathing, plenty of amusement at Carolina Beach to-morrow. **

INQUIRY INTO COTTON LEAK

Associate Statistician Holmes' Two Pals Cornered By District Attorney Beach

PECKHAM AND HAAS AFRAID

One Was Partner and One Go-Between of Holmes and Cotton Brokers—Both Presented for Refusing to Testify.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Washington, July 28.—The refusal yesterday of F. A. Peckham, a New York broker, to answer questions before the grand jury engaged in the investigation of irregularities connected with the cotton crop report of the Department of Agriculture, was to-day brought to the attention of Judge Wright of the Criminal Court, but the hearing in the case was postponed until to-morrow. Similar action was taken in the case of Moses Haas, who was also before the jury yesterday as a witness and refused to testify.

The presentation was made by the grand jury, at the instance of District Attorney Beach, and was in the shape of a written charge in which were detailed the proceedings before the jury in which Mr. Haas made his refusal. The Haas case was chosen for detailed presentation because of an irregularity in the subpoena to Mr. Peckham, but the same charge is made against both. Both the defendants were allowed to depart upon their own recognizance on the assurance of their counsel that they would be in court when wanted.

Peckham and Haas were given an opportunity before the grand jury to reconsider their refusal of yesterday, but declined to do so. Haas was employed in the Department of Agriculture from 1898 to 1901, and was permitted to resign. He is alleged to have the intermediary between Holmes and New York brokers.

The proceedings in the grand jury room threw light upon several points concerning which but little has so far been authoritatively stated. Mr. Beach is shown to have said that so far the purooeedings are directed only against former Associate Statistican E. S. Holmes and that he is relying upon section 5,541 of the Revised Statutes as the law under which he is conducting the inquiry. That statute prohibits the bribery of government employes, and imposes as a penalty imprisonment for not more than three years and a fine not exceeding three times the amount of the bribe.

The record also indicates that Haas declined at first even to be sworn, saying that before he would consent he must know the purpose of the proceeding, and the names of the parties, against whom it is directed, in order that he migh consult counsel as to whether the jury had a right to proceed in the matter.

"For all I know," said Mr. Haas, "I may be the person, or one of the persons against whom this inquiry is directed. If it is, my counsel advises me I cannot be lawfully compelled to appear before the body or compelled to be sworn much less to testify."

Replying to Mr. Haas the District Attorney said that whole it was not necessary it was deemed not improper to advise the witness that there was pending before the grand jury an inquiry as to the alleged criminal conduct of Holmes. The witness, the District Attorney said, had the right to refuse to answer questions tending to incriminate him. After further protest Mr. Haas was at last sworn whereupon he said, that after giving his name and residence he would say nothing more, because his answers might tend to incriminate him. He then demanded to know whether he had been implicated and Mr. Beach replied:

"It is proper to say to the witness that the inquiry as directed at the present moment is solely into the conduct of Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., and it is equally proper to state that any further developments growing out of the alleged offense can properly be pursued by the grand jury."

The examination then proceeded, Mr. Haas saying that he was interested in the millinery business, horse-race and racing interestes, and that he had lived in New York off and one since 1873. He refused to answer on the ground that it might tend to incriminate him questions whether he ever lived in Washington, whether he was ever employed in the Department of Agriculture, whether he knew Frederick A. Peckham, and also whether he knew Holmes.

Mr. Haas then asked for an opportunity to consult counsel and was excused for the day for that purpose. When he apepared to-day he was given an opportunity to answer the questions put yesterday and refused. The matter was then certified to the court, asking that the court issue an order compelling Haas to reply.

STRONG AGAINST RAWLINGS.

Made Fiendish Threats About Killing Whole Carter Family.

By Wire to The Morning Star

Valdosta, Ga., July 28.—After exhausting nine panels, a jury in the case of J. G. Rawlings, charged with instigating the murder of the Carter children was secured at noon to-day, and in the afternoon witnesses for the State were examined. Besides those who testified in the cases of Milton Rawlings and Jesse and Leonard Rawlings and Alf Moore, a number of others were sworn. These testified to threats which Rawlings made.

Rev. Mr. Kemp, the Methodist preacher who tried to bring about peace between Carter and Rawlings, said that the latter would not hear to peace overtures, and said if Carter put him under a peace warrant he would crawl to his house and shoot him through a crack.

Rev. Noah Tyler, a Baptist minister, testified to nearly the same thing. Joe Caddy said that Rawlings takel to him of his troubles with Carter, and said that the only thing to do was to kill the whole family. G. A. Fiveash testified that he heard Rawlings say that he did not believe it would be a sin in the sight of God to kill Carter, and that neighbors would not be bothered with their "Rawlings and Carters" troubles any more.

Mrs. J. Ody Jones was the last witness. She heard Rawlings declare that before the Carters should live there, he would kill the whole family from the babies up. At 7:30 o'clock to-night a recess was taken until to-morrow.

DR. GEORGE T. MORSE RESIGNS HIS POSITION

Connection With Culture Company Embarrrassed Department of Agriculture.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, July 28.—George T. Moore, phycologist and algologist of the Department of Agriculture, today tendered his resignation to Secretary Wilson and it has been accepted. This action is the culmination of a hearing at the Department yesterday at which it was alleged by two representatives of an agricultural publication that Moore's wife held stock in a company manufacturing culture for soil inoculation.

The resignation of Dr. Moore and its acceptance were announced in a statement issued by the Department today. This statement consists of Dr. Moore's letter to the Secretary and an attached explanation of Moore's relations with the nitro-culture company, the concern manufacturing the material for soil inoculation. The resignation was endorsed by Secretary Wilson to take effect immediatediately. In his letter to Secretary Wilson Dr. Moore says:

"In view of the criticism which has been made against my work and the position I am placed in by this criticism, I feel that the Department should be relieved of any difficulty which may arise through my present connection with it."

According to Dr. Moore, a proposition was made to him in July, 1904, by persons living at West Chester, Pa., for the formation of a company to manufacture inoculating material under patents taken out by the Department of Agriculture in the name of Dr. Moore.

The West Chester men offered Dr. Moore a salary and an interest in the business, with the understanding that the company should have the exclusive right to any further discoveries made by Dr. Moore.

After receiving this offer, Mr. Moore says in his statement that he wrote to Mr. Woods, telling him that his prospects with the new company seemed better than he could expect from the Department. Mr. Woods then recommended an increase of salary for Dr. Moore.

When the company was organized a block of stock was made out in the name of Dr. Moore's wife, for transfer to her husband when he should enter the employ of the company. Dr. Moore says he did not consider the stock could be his until he was able to comply with the condition, but that he felt he could not afford to lose his hold on the possibility of going with the company so long as there was the slightest chance of his not receiving the advance from the Department. On December 17, 1904, Dr. Moore tendered his resignation, which was not accepted, but Mr. Woods wrote him that he thought the advance would go into effect on January 1. Dr. Moore says it did not go into effect until the following April 16. When the increase of salery was received Dr. Moore says he returned the stock.

Secretary Wilson and Assistant Secretary Hays after going over Dr. Moore's explanation said they had no criticsm to make of his actions.

HOSPITALS GREATEST NEED.

Appeal to Publis to Provide Modern Laundry Plant There.

The Star is asked to make an appeal to the public in behalf of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, which is badly in need of a small modern laundry. The work of the hospital has increased to a degree which necessitates the washing of 100 sheets daily and other articles in proportion. It is next to impossible to do this work by hand and no funds are available for the laundry. The amount needed is between $1,250 and $1,500. The Board of Managers have decided to lay the matter before the public, with the hope that some generous citizen may be induced to furnish the funds necessary for this purpose, or that it may be secured by individual contributions from those who are familar with the affairs of the hospital and know what a great work it is accomplishing for the suffering of this community.

All contributions may be sent to the president, Mr. Walter G. MacRae, or to the secretary, Mr. Geo. R. French, and will be acknowledged through the newspapers unless request is made to the contrary.

Delighful Boating Party.

In compliment to a number of visiting young ladies, Miss Anita DeRosset yesterday afternoon gave a delightful boating party on the steamer Navassa in charge of that genial craftsmaster, Capt. J. H. Williams. The party left at 5:30 o'clock and the trip up the river toward sunset was an enjoyable one indeed. Ices and other refreshments were served on board the steamer, the return being about 8 o'clock in the evening. In the party were Miss Anita DeRosset, Miss Newbrandt, Miss Eva Newbrandt, of Cincinnati, Ohio.; Miss Scott, of South Carolina; Miss Taylor, of Pittsboro; Miss Woods, of Darlington, S. C.; Miss Evans, of Salisbury; Mrs. Gaston L. Myers, Miss Lucile Murchison, Miss Bessie Gore, Miss Margaret Nash, Miss Ida Brown, Miss Alice Boatwright, Miss Lucy Wootten and Miss Olive Armstrong.

Those Summer Pavilions.

The canvas-topped pavilions for Summer excursionists on the City Hall yards give the grounds quite a carnival appearance and the Public Building Committee of the Board of Aldermen has been the butt of many a joke by wags in passing. One man applied for the peanut and red lemonade privilege; another wanted to rent one of the stands for a cane and knife rack and still another wanted a corner of one of them for a "shell game." The first wind storm of consequence is expected to dispose of the whole matter.

Sunday at Carolina Beach.

The Delgado Cornet Band will give another of its delightful concerts in the pavilion at Carolina Beach upon the arrival of the steamer to-morrow afternoon. The band is a good one, and the Sunday afternoon concerts are always enjoyed by lage crowds. Boat leaves 9:30, 2:30 and 7:30 Sunday.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw has accepted an invitation to address the Virginia Republican State convention at Roanoke, August 8th.

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PROGRESSIVE INSTITUTION.

Willard Bag and Maufacturing Co. Elects Officers.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Willard Bag and Manufacturing Company was held yesterday at noon at the offices of the company. The most important business before the board was the annual election of officers which resulted as follows:

President—M. S. Willard.
Vice President—W. E. Springer.
General Manager and Secretary and Treasurer—E. P. Willard.

At the meeting of the stockholders July 12th directors for the ensuing 12 months were elected as follows; J. W. Yates, W. P. Toon, M. S. Willard and W. E. Springer.

The directors discussed the recent increase of capital stock from $20,000 to $50,000 while the volume and growth of the business were also subjects of congratulation among the members of the board.

Accidentally Shot Himself.

Young Mr. R. Ballard seriously if not fatally shot himself while working with a pistol at his home at Cronly yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. The ball took effect in the young man's temple. Further particulars could not be learned. Mr. Ballard has a sister employed as an operator in the Western Union telegraph office in this city. She will go up to Cronly this morning to be with her brother.

Gay Lumina.

Music and dancing afternoon and evenings at Lumina. Finest floor on the beach. jy25-1w**

Notice to Mothers!

We have secured the agency for Jas. T. Dougherty, of New York, for everything needed in the modification of Cows Milk in infant feeding. We supply you with Freeman Pasteurizers, Chapin Cream Dippers, Sloan Maternity Milk Sets, and any and everything recommended by the great authorities on diseases of children; Holt, Roth, Chapin and Griffith. We make a specialty of infant wants, and when a desired article cannot be had in the city, we order from out of town.

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25 Per Cent Discount on PIPES.

Having purchased a drummer's sample pipes consisting of French Brier and Meerschaum with Amber Mouth Pieces, we are offering them 25 per cent. below the regular price. Come early before the choice ones are sold.

Bernice C. Moore,
715 North Fourth Street.
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PROOF OF THE PUDDING!

What a Star Business Local Did.

South Washington, N. C., July 18, 1905.

We recently advertised in the Business Locals department of The Morning Star for "an experienced man to take charge of logging woods," etc.

We have thus far received 21 responses to the advertisement, and they are still coming.

We have secured the man we needed; and it is hardly necessary for us to add that The Morning Star has proved its claim to being a first-class advertising medium.

NEAL-MORSE LUMBER CO.,
W. A. Morse, President.

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To Asheville and Western Carolina Resorts By Leaving Wilmington 6:50 P. M., Arrive Asheville 1:40 P. M, Pullman Service All the Way

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Phone 160. W. J. CRAIG, General Passenger Agent.

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Time Proves All Things!

I think it is proven that we know how to buy goods as well as we know how to sell them. We claim the largest spot cash store in the State of North Carolina. We buy goods for cash and we sell them for cash. We make our cash discounts and we give that cash discount to our customers in the way of premium cards. We are redeeming those cards every day, and giving the people nice Rugs, good Umbrellas, splendid Parlor Lamps, Hat Racks, Glass Water Sets handsomely decorated, Art squares, nice Cobbler Seat Rocking Chairs, Oak Center tables, Baby Carriages, Shoe-Fly Horses for children, Playing Cards, Baseballs, Glove and Shields. These goods we havve on exhibition and we let you take your choice. We give them away with different amounts from $5.00 to $25.00.

These premiums do not cost you a cent, but they do cost me thousands of dollars a year.

In selling goods we meet competition and any man who has not the right price, we make it for them.

Our sale has been a grand success, the best we have ever had. While we have been selling a great many goods we have been also receiving a great many. Our stock is well supplied with seasonable goods.

Fruit jars are selling for 65c. and 85c. per dozen. They are the very best Mason jar.

Hammocks, full size, from 95c. to $2.25 each.

Ladies' Bath Suits from $1.50 to $4.50 a suit.

Ladies' Bathing Caps, the very best rubber goods from 10c. to 25c. each.

A splendid Scotch Lawn for ladies' dresses, fast colors, at 3c. a yard.

Men's Panama Hats, a nice assortment styles for $1.50 to $2.50 each.

Mosquito Netting, all colors, for 45c. a bolt.

A line of Colored Silks that we sold for 25c., 35c. and 40c. a yard; we put on sale to-day for 20c. a yard.

Men's Summer Clothing. Men's Odd pants, a full assortment of kinds and prices. All styles in black Sicilian and serge coats, white duck pants, midget ties and silk shirts and new style leather belts with three different grades of buckles.

Banzei Silk, the best silk made for summer dresses and waists, price 50c. a yard; we are closing out at 38c. a yard.

The 5c. Val. Laces are still being sold at 3c. a yard.

Hav you been down to see us during the sale? If so, come again. We have still better things to show you.

Remember the place, Gaylord's Big store on Front street, three stores combined, 206, 208 and 210 South Front street.

GEO. O. GAYLORD,
Proprietor.

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